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In re Application of <b>Eduardo BLUMWALD</b>		
Application Number <b>09/271,584</b>	Filed <b>March 18, 1999</b>	
For: <b>GENETIC ENGINEERING SALT TOLERANCE IN CROP PLANTS</b>		
Group Art Unit <b>1638</b>	Examiner <b>A. Kubelik</b>	

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